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                             NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
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                                                   Case No. C 06 2361 WHA (JCS)
     NETFLIX, INC., a Delaware corporation,
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                                                   DECLARATION OF DOMINIQUE N.
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1	I, Dominique N. Thomas, declare as follows:
2	I am an associate in the law firm of Alschuler Grossman LLP, the attorneys of record
3	herein for Defendant and Counterclaimant Blockbuster Inc. ("Blockbuster") in this action, and
4	have personal knowledge of each and all of the facts stated in this declaration. If called to testify
5	as a witness, I could and would do so competently.
6	1. Have you ever expressed any opinion on the validity of either the '450 patent or
7	'381 patent at issue in this case?
8	Answer: No
9	How often?
10	• When?
11	• To whom?
12	• Was that opinion expressed orally or in writing?
13	If in writing, was the writing preserved?
14	2. Have you ever mentioned the opinion letter written by Baker & Botts as to the
15	validity of the '450 patent to anyone at Blockbuster?
16	Answer: No
17	• How often?
18	■ When?
19	• To whom?
20	 Was that comment expressed orally or in writing?
21	If in writing, was the writing preserved?
22	3. Have you mentioned the opinion letter written by Blakely Sokoloff Taylor &
23	Zatiman as to the validity of the '381 patent to anyone at Blockbuster?
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25	• How often?
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1	Was that comment expressed orally or in writing?
2	If In writing, was the writing preserved?
3	4. Have you ever discussed with anyone at Blockbuster the general subject matter of
4	the validity of the '381 patent?
5	Answer: I don't recall any discussions
6	• How often?
7	• When?
8	• To whom?
9	Was that discussion oral or in writing?
10	If in writing, was the writing preserved?
11	5. Have you ever discussed with anyone at Blockbuster the general subject matter of
12	the validity of the '450 patent?
13	Answer: I don't recall any discussions
14	How often?
15	• When?
16	• To whom?
17	Was that discussion oral or in writing?
18	If in writing, was the writing preserved?
.19	6. Have you made any comment to anyone at Blockbuster about the evidence
20	concerning the validity of the '381 patent?
21	Answer: No
22	• How often?
23	• When?
24	• To whom?
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26	• If in writing, was the writing preserved?
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1	 Have you made any comment to anyone at Blockbuster about the evidence
2	concerning the validity of the '450 patent?
3	Answer: No
4	• How often?
5	• When?
6	• To whom?
7.	 Was that comment made orally or in writing?
8	If in writing, was the writing preserved?
9	8. Have you had any communications with anyone in your office commenting on
10	conversations with Blockbuster that in any way related to the validity of the '381 patent?
11	Answer: I don't recall any discussions
12	How often?
13	• When?
14	• To whom?
15	Was that communication oral or in writing?
16	If in writing, was the writing preserved?
17	9. Have you had any communications with anyone in your office commenting on
18	conversations with Blockbuster that in any way related to the validity of the '450 patent?
19	Answer: I don't recall any discussions
20	• How often?
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25	10. Have you ever discussed the likelihood that either the '450 patent or the '381
26	patent will be found to be valid?
27	Answer: No
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1	How often?
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4	 Was that discussion oral or in writing?
5	 If in writing, was the writing preserved?
6	I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the
7	foregoing is true and correct.
8	Executed on April 27, 2007 in Los Angeles, California.
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Today I served the attached:

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I declare that I am employed in the office of a member of the bar of this court at whose direction the service was made and that this declaration was executed on April 27, 2007.

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